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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231J1132 U.S. PTO
02/13/02

Re: Application of Mario MEGGIOLAN

METHOD FOR PRODUCING A BICYCLE WHEEL RIM, APPARATUS FOR
IMPLEMENTING THE METHOD AND BICYCLE WHEEL RIM OBTAINED
THEREBYJ1050 U.S. PTO
02/13/02
10/07/341

Assignee: CAMPAGNOLO Srl

Our Ref. Q68509

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 35 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 7 sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is the Small Entity Declaration and preliminary amendment.

Applicant claims benefit of small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.27.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows (Small Entity fees apply):

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| Total claims | 53 | - | 20 | = | 33 | x | \$9.00 | = | \$297.00 |
| Independent claims | 13 | - | 3 | = | 10 | x | \$42.00 | = | \$420.00 |
| Base Fee | | | | | | | | | \$370.00 |

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| TOTAL FILING FEE | \$1,087.00 |
| Recordation of Assignment | \$40.00 |
| TOTAL FEE | \$1,127.00 |

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1,087.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

| <u>Country</u> | <u>Application No</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> |
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| ITALY | TO2001A000121 | February 13, 2001 |

The priority document is submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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